

VILLAGE OF BRIERCREST

Box 25, Briercrest, Sk. S0H 0K0

BYLAW No 3-2015

A BYLAW TO REGULATE THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES WITHIN THE VILLAGE

The Council of the Village of Briercrest in the Province of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

1. In this bylaw:

- a) "administrator" shall mean the administrator of the municipality;
- b) "council" means the council of the Village of Briercrest;
- c) "heavy Vehicles" means a motor vehicle with or without a load which alone or with any trailer, semi-trailer or other vehicle being towed, weights 4.5 tons/5,500 kg or more;
- d) "power Turn" means to maneuver a vehicle in such a manner as to cause the rear of the vehicle to depart from its ordinary line of progress by the sudden use of acceleration and or braking;
- e) "speed Zone" means any portion of a street within the Village and identified by a sign erected and maintained at each end, indicating the maximum speed applicable;
- f) "Street" means any street or public highway within the Village, but does not include a provincial highway;
- g) "vehicle" means a vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer or a motor vehicle as ascribed to by *The Traffic Safety Act*;
- h) "municipality" shall mean the Village of Briercrest;
- i) "designated officer" means the Administrator, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Sheriff or any other person appointed to enforce municipal bylaws;

1. SCOPE

- a) "Stop" Streets: highways listed in Appendix A;
- b) "Yield" Streets highways listed in Appendix B;

1. REGULATIONS

- a) Stop Streets: the streets as listed in Appendix A are designated as stop streets.
- b) Yield Streets: the streets as listed in Appendix B are designated as yield streets.
- c) Miscellaneous Signs:
 - i) No person shall, except where authorized by resolution of Council, erect upon or immediately adjacent to any street, a sign, marker, signal or light or any advertising sign or device.
 - ii) No person shall deface damage, destroy or remove any sign or marker erected pursuant to this bylaw.

1. Parking

- a) Subject to the provisions of sub clause 3(b), no person shall park a vehicle in any lane, or in any street so as to obstruct the entrance to any lane or to a driveway or approach leading to private premises;
- b) Notwithstanding the provisions of sub clause 3(a), a vehicle may be parked in any lane for the purpose of taking on or discharging cargo, provided no such vehicle shall be parked for a period exceeding thirty (30) minutes at one time, unless written permission has first been obtained from the administrator or a special constable of the municipality for an extension of such time.
- c) No person shall park any commercial vehicle designed for carrying or intended for the carrying of oil, gasoline, or other flammable combustible or explosive material within thirty (30) meters from any building in the Village used or intended for use, as a place of dwelling, a hotel or place of public assembly.
- d) No person shall park a truck with a manufacturers rated capacity in excess of 5,500 kg on any street or avenue except as designated in Appendix 3.

1. SPEED

- a) No person shall operate a vehicle at a speed greater than twenty five (25) km per hour in the Village of Briercrest.
- b) The provision of Section a shall not apply to the operators of fire engines or fire department apparatus or to vehicles being operated by law enforcement officers or to the operators ambulances where these vehicles are being operated in emergency duty.

1. WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS

- a) Subject to section 7 and 8, the maximum gross vehicle weight or combined gross vehicle weight that may, without a permit from the administrator of the Village, be transmitted to a street through any point or points of contact of any vehicle, or combination of vehicles, farm machinery or other objects, when operated or moved on the streets described below shall not exceed.
 - i) A combined weight of 6,000 kilograms for a vehicle with two axles
 - ii) A combined weight of 10,200 kilograms for a vehicle with three axles
 - iii) A combined weight of 15,000 kilograms for a vehicle with more than three axlesWhen any vehicle is operated on
- b) Main Street between the junction of Main Street and Veterans Drive and the junction of Main Street and Railway Avenue
- c) Railway Avenue between the junction of Railway Avenue and Veterans Drive.
- d) The gross vehicle weights referred to in section 6a means the total weight of a vehicle or combination of vehicles, farm machinery or object, including loads thereof and is deemed to be equal to the sum of the weight transmitted to the road by each of the axles or points of contact with the road.
- e) The Administrator of the Village of Briercrest may, if satisfied that the vehicle or combination of vehicles or objects can be operated or moved without damage to the roads described in section 1, issue a permit to the registered owner of a vehicle or combination of vehicles, farm machinery or objects to exceed the maximum gross vehicle weights fixed by this bylaw.
- f) In order to obtain a permit under this section the registered owner must provide the Administrator with (i) proof satisfactory to the Administrator that the vehicle and its load will not exceed the REGISTERED gross weight specified in the registration of the vehicle issued pursuant to *The Vehicle Administration Act* and (ii) proof of financial responsibility as provided for and in conformity with the requirements of *The Vehicle Administration Act*.
- g) The Administrator in the permit shall designate the portion of the restricted roadways to which the permit applies.
- h) The permit must be provided upon request by a peace officer or the Administrator or his or her designate.

1. SIGNS

- a) Council shall cause to be erected and maintained at all stop streets in Appendix A, at a distance of approximately three (3) meters from point of intersection, an appropriate sign containing the word "Stop", so placed to face the traffic approaching the intersection.
- b) Council shall cause to be erected and maintained at all yield streets in Appendix B, at a distance of approximately three (3) meters from point of intersection, an appropriate sign containing the word "Yield", so placed to face the traffic approaching the intersection.
- c) Council may provide for the erection and maintenance on any street, and at any designated point or points or such signs, as it may deem expedient, for warning, guidance, direction or information thereon

1. PENALTIES

Every person who contravenes any of the provisions of this bylaw is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than \$500.00 and, in the case of a continuing offence, to a further fine of not more than \$125.00 for each day during which the offence continues.

1. REPEALS

Bylaw No. 1/80, To Regulate the Speed of Motor Vehicles, May 14, 1980 of the Village of Briercrest is hereby repealed.

Bylaw #11, 2004, To Provide for Maximum Gross Vehicle Weights on Main Street and a Portion of Railway Avenue, May 12, 2004, of the Village of Briercrest is hereby repealed.

Bylaw No. 3/69, To Provide for the Erection of Traffic Signs, March 24, 1969 of the Village of Briercrest is hereby repealed.

[SEAL]

Mayor

Administrator

Read a third time and adopted
this _10_ day of _September_, 2015

Administrator

Certified a true copy of Bylaw No 3-2015
Adopted by resolution of Council on the 10th
Day of September, 2015.

(SEAL)

Administrator

APPENDIX A
Of Bylaw No. 3-2015

“STOP STREETS”

1. Railway Avenue intersected by Highway 339
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APPENDIX B
Of Bylaw No. 3-2015

“YIELD STREETS”

1. Oriole Avenue intersected by Main Street
 2. Oriole Avenue intersected by First Street
 3. Oriole Avenue intersected by Veterans Drive
 4. Prairie Avenue intersected by Main Street
 5. Prairie Avenue intersected by First Street
 6. Prairie Avenue intersected by Veterans Drive
 7. Crocus Avenue intersected by Main Street
 8. Crocus Avenue intersected by First Street
 9. Crocus Avenue intersected by Veterans Drive
 10. Main Street intersected by Veterans Drive
 11. Main Street intersected by Railway Avenue
 12. First Street intersected by Veterans Drive
 13. First Street intersected by Railway Avenue
 14. Veterans Drive intersected by Railway Avenue
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